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1 ACTIVITY AND THE USE THEREOF

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

In The Specification:

On page 1, please add the below paragraph starting at line 2:

application disclosed herein corresponds --The to International Application No. PCT/EP2003/007547, filed July 2003, which claims priority of E.P. Serial No. 02017004.9, filed July 27, 2002, the contents of which are incorporated by reference into this application .--